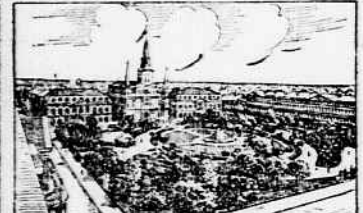


**Hospital Ship Coming to This City.**  
The hospital ship Solace, which is with the Atlantic fleet at Guantanamo bay, will visit this city on her way to New York to transfer to the Naval Hospital here a number of officers and enlisted men, who were taken ill during the recent exercises of the fleet in Cuban waters.

**Marine Corps Service Changes.**  
Major George C. Reid of the Marine Corps, now on duty on the battleship Arkansas as division marine officer of the first division of the Atlantic fleet, has been ordered to this city for duty in command of the Marine Corps rifle range at Winchester, near Indian Head, Md. He will be succeeded on the Arkansas by Major John P. McGill, now in command of the naval prison at Mare Island, Cal., who in turn will be relieved by Capt. Paul E. Chamberlain, now on duty at San Francisco.



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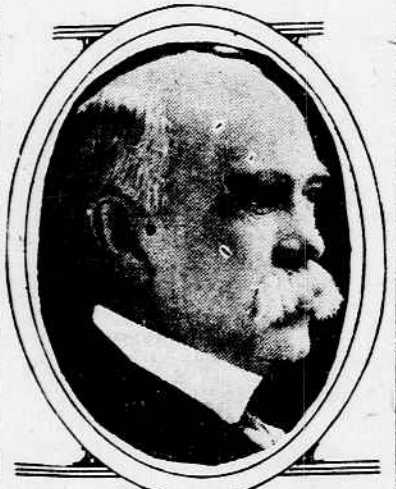
Problems Relating to Army, Navy  
and National Preparedness Scheduled for Discussion.

Navy League Convention  
Events for Tomorrow

10 a.m.—Business session.  
Address of welcome by Col. Robert M. Thompson.  
2 p.m.—Discussion of national problems likely to involve the United States in war. Speakers: Henry White, Charles C. Gregory, David Jayne Hill, Albert B. Sweeney, and Dr. Morton Harter.  
8:15 p.m.—Illustrated lecture, "The Making of a Navy," by Dr. Nevil Monroe Hopkins.

The only two spies that the United States had in Spain during the Spanish-American war are to be present at the eleventh annual convention of the Navy League of the United States, which opens its sessions in the Willard Hotel tomorrow morning and will continue to have three sessions daily until Friday. Col. Robert M. Thompson is president of the association, and has just come across the continent from California with a special train of delegates.

The two Spanish war spies in whose presence there is a great deal of interest are Henry H. Ward of this city, vice president of the association, and Dr. Edward Breck, Mr. Ward, who is a graduate of Annapolis, was advanced



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President.

twelve points in rank as a result of the excellent spy work which he did in Spain. Dr. Breck went to Spain under the guise of a German scientist. So successful was he in hiding his identity that he was entertained by Gen. Weyler and other prominent Spanish officials, and visited and photographed many of the Spanish fortifications.

### Purpose of the League.

The purpose of the league is stated as follows:  
"The Navy League is an association of people who wish to keep war out of the United States, and believe that the surest way to do it is to maintain a navy so strong that no military nation can send its troops across the ocean to attack us. It has no connection with any business or political organization of any kind and is not pre-anything nor anti-anything, but just plain American. It has no favors to ask and no views to express except just this: It insists that whatever else politicians may do or leave undone they do not fail to provide such a navy as will insure this country against the horrors of war in the homeland."  
The list of speakers for the two meetings daily include authorities on international law and problems and on all matters that concern the army, navy and preparedness.

### Entertainment Features.

In addition to these meetings devoted to the general question of preparedness, two entertainment features have been arranged. There is to be a banquet Wednesday evening and a trip to Annapolis Friday to witness a demonstration of the Naval Academy work.  
Col. Thompson, president of the league, will preside and deliver the address of welcome at the opening session. Tomorrow night Col. Thompson will have as dinner guests in his home on Sheridan circle the directors of the Navy League, the speakers at the convention and other prominent guests, including Jacob G. Schmidlapp of Cincinnati and R. W. Kelley of New York.

The vice presidents of the league are Henry H. Ward of this city, Albert B. Lambert of St. Louis, one of the greatest authorities in this country on aeronautics, and Henry B. Joy of Detroit, a wealthy manufacturer who served as an enlisted man in the Spanish-American war.  
The secretary of the association is Arthur H. Dadmun, former Secretary of the Navy Meyer and former Secretary of State Bacon are among the prominent directors and officers of the league who are expected at the convention.  
**Membership List.**  
Many noted men are included in the 12,000 membership of the Navy League, which was founded in 1902, among them Theodore Roosevelt, Admiral Dewey, Robert Bacon, August Belmont, Charles J. Bonaparte, Cardinal Gibbons, Elihu Root, Rex. Luman Abbott, George B. Cortelyou, Henry C. Frick, Seth Low, George von L. Meyer, Alton B. Parker, Henry Watterston, Benjamin Kide Wheeler, all of them honorary vice presidents of the association. Among the directors are Perry Belmont, John T. Morgan, J. P. Morgan, Henry B. Joy of Detroit, A. B. Lambert of St. Louis, Charles L. Poor of New York, E. K. Roden of Scranton, Frank A. Scott of Cleveland, Alexander Van Rensselaer of Philadelphia and Beekman Winthrop of New York. Local officers of the association include Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim and Henry B. Joy of Detroit, honorary vice presidents, and J. Callan O'Laughlin, one of the directors.

**National Defense League Delegates.**  
Delegates of the National Defense League to the Navy League convention include Representative Julius Kahn, Senator Robert F. Broussard, Representatives Frank P. Woods, Thomas S. Crago and L. C. Dyer; Col. John McElroy, Col. D. L. Rice, Winfield Jones, Gen. H. Oden Lake, Capt. J. Walter Mitchell, P. T.

Moran, Thomas Grant, Wilton E. Alles, E. E. L. Leckie, Odell Smith, Louis S. Gottlieb, Sidney Heber, T. Howard Duckett, Frank J. Hogan, John J. Weicker, Frank B. Lord, Theodore Tiller, Fred Esary, John Crown, James Preston, Winthrop Bathon, Dr. Joseph J. Kaveney, J. Enos Ray, Col. C. Fred Cook, George Gail, Oscar Ricketts, Col. Robert A. Harper, Edmund S. Wolfe, Byron S. Adams, John J. Allen, Lutz Anderson, James A. Bailey, George A. Baker, Charles J. Bell, Marion Butler, John G. Capers, Claude S. Car-



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## LA FOLLETTE CLAIMS 16

Two More Wisconsin Delegates in  
Doubt—Will Run for Senate  
Again.

Reports from Wisconsin that Senator La Follette had been disastrously defeated in the presidential primaries, and that his political days were nearly ended, were discounted at Senator La Follette's office when he returned yesterday to Washington.

The claim made by Senator La Follette's friends is to the effect that out of thirty-six delegates selected in Wisconsin, sixteen are for La Follette and two more are in doubt. It was asserted that Senator La Follette ran 40,000 votes ahead of the delegate ticket in the presidential primary fight with Gov. Phillips and far ahead of Phillips. All doubt as to whether Senator La Follette will run for the Senate again was dispelled. His name will be before the senatorial primaries in September. It is expected that the stand-pat republicans will get together on a candidate against him, however. It is possible that Gov. Phillips may be put up against Senator La Follette for the Senate.  
If the La Follette version of the results of the primary in Wisconsin is justified Senator La Follette will control a considerable number of delegates at the Chicago convention. He has the North Dakota delegation already. That he will do all in his power to prevent the nomination of Roosevelt is admitted.

## EXPERTS SEEK GREATER AMERICAN AERO SKILL

NEW YORK, April 8.—Elmer A. Sperry, chairman of the committee of aeronautics of the naval consulting board, announced in a report issued after a meeting held here today that the committee, acting through the American Society of Aeronautical Engineers, has inaugurated the work of the standardization of the whole American aeronautical industry "especially from the military standpoint."  
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### Officials in Charge.

George Oakley Totten, Jr., was the master of ceremonies, assisted by Mrs. W. Sinclair Bowen, Mrs. J. Breckenridge Bayne, J. O. Evans, Capt. William Mitchell and Melvin C. Hazen. Dr. Ryan Devereux acted as ringmaster in the arena. Music was furnished by the Marine Band, and Boy Scouts of the District acted as ushers. Every box and seat in the "big tent" was filled with enthusiasts.  
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Patrons for the evening were Mrs. Richardson Clover, Mrs. Robert H. Chapman, Mrs. Frederic A. Delano, Mrs. William F. Draper, Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock, Mrs. Hugh Legare, Mrs. Isaac T. Mann, Mrs. Julius W. MacMurray, Mrs. George N. McLanahan, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman.  
The following young women served as peanut vendors: Miss Ethel MacMurray, Mrs. Le Breton, Miss Louise Delano, Miss Laura Delano, Miss Lillian Hendricks, Miss Ruth Wilson, Miss Juliet Crosby, Miss Margaret Mielke, Miss Marie Louise Harrington, Miss Jane Bigelow, Miss Margaret Fahnestock, Miss Margaret Caperton, Miss Caroline Nash, Miss Katharine Birney, Miss Margaret McChord and Miss Carolyn Oden Jones.  
Among the performers were Miss Margaret Howard, Miss Edythe Howard, Miss Janet Harlan, Miss Myra Morgan, Miss Gerry Morgan, Mrs. W. Sinclair Bowen, Miss Ruth Hitchcock, Miss Margaret Devereux, Miss Ruth Donaldson, Miss Laura Delano, Miss Gertrude Green, Miss Anna Hendon, Miss Ethel MacMurray, Miss Helen McLanahan, Miss Nadine Oxnard, Miss Elizabeth Scriven, Miss Katharine Scriven, Miss Helen Mary, Miss Adelaide Oxnard, Miss Elizabeth Wiley, Lieut. D. M. Le Breton, Mr. A. J. Hepburn, Jr., Mr. Julian T. Bishop, Mr. Stephen H. Hedry, Dr. Ryan Devereux, Lieut. J. N. Greely, Mr. T. P. Morgan, Jr., Mr. R. K. Tyler, Mr. J. O. Evans, Mr. Ralph Coffin and Lieut. Commander J. Enoch.

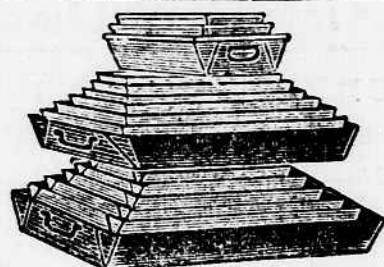
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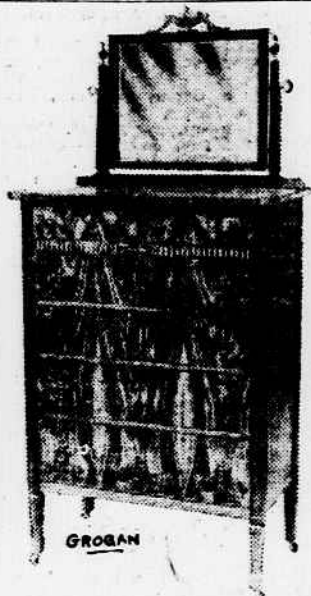


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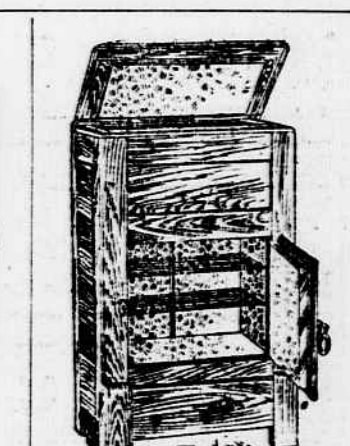
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